



Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer

September 1, 1928 - February 1, 2013

Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer, age 84, of Jewell Ridge, Virginia, passed away Friday, February 1, 2013 in a Richlands, Virginia hospital following a brief illness.

She was born in Buchanan County and was the daughter of the late Jay G. and Katherine Dorton Cole.

She was a very loving mother, grandmother, and was loved by all who knew her. She was a life long resident of Jewell Ridge and Richlands area. She was a member of the Richlands Tabernacle and attended the Friendly Chapel Church on Smith Ridge. She ran the grill at the Jewell Valley Company Store for a number of years and worked at Reynolds Restaurant until it closed. She worked for Bob and Wayne Lester and the Fast Break at Doran, Virginia. She was a graduate of Whitewood High School Class of 1946 and was very active with the Jewell Ridge Recreation Commission.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Lloyd Altizer; one sister, Mell Matney; five brothers, George, Harry, Jay Barnes, Paul and Robert Earl Cole; and three grandchildren, Lloyd Horn, Wade Horn, and Anita Lynn Hanna.

Survivors are:

Three Daughters:

Joann Horn of Jewell Ridge, Virginia

Belinda Cole and husband, Bill of Abingdon, Virginia

Diannia Smith and husband, Mitch of Richlands, Virginia

One Son: John Otis Altizer and wife, Patricia of Jewell Ridge, Virginia

Three Sisters:

Reka Dye and husband, Claude of Jewell Ridge, Virginia

Katherine Brooks Jones of Fredericksburg, Virginia

Helen Justice and husband, Jonah of Phyllis, Kentucky

Three Brothers:

Joe Cole and wife, Carol of Bland, Virginia

Grat Cole and wife, Margaret of Jewell Ridge, Virginia

Grady Cole and wife, Betty of Jewell Ridge, Virginia

Twelve Grandchildren, twenty six great grandchildren, and three great great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services for Margaret Altizer will be conducted Monday, February 4, 2013 at 11:00am at the Richlands Tabernacle in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Ralph Horton, Rev. David Horton, and Rev. Bob Osborne officiating.

Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia.

Friends may call after 6:00pm Sunday at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia and one hour prior to the service Monday at the church.

Grandsons and Great Grandsons will serve as pallbearers. Honorary

Pallbearers will be: Darrell Cantrell, Bob Lester, Wayne Lester, Phillip Horton, Brian McGraw, David Lee Horton, and Joe Robinett.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of the arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at ww

w.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Service

FEB 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Richlands Tabernacle
2505 Third Street
Richlands, VA 24641

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Kim Phipps Turner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Kim Phipps Turner - February 24, 2013 at 01:00 AM



“ *Judy Altizer Tuckosh lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Judy Altizer Tuckosh - February 05, 2013 at 06:40 PM



Aunt Margaret you will be missed by all. You have touched many lives. You were a kind & loving person. Your memory will live on forever. Love Judy Altizer Tuckosh!

Judy Altizer Tuckosh - February 05, 2013 at 06:47 PM

SH

“ *Johnetta and the Altizer family,
My thoughts and prayers are with you. Mrs. Altizer was a wonderful
lady and will be missed by all.*
Susie Hunsaker

Susie Hunsaker - February 05, 2013 at 07:09 AM

RR

“ *Dear Altizer Family,
Please accept my heartfelt sympathy on the recent loss of your
dearly loved one. She will be missed by many. May the God of
Comfort be with each of you during this most difficult time. A loved
one lost can grieve the heart and make us yearn for tomorrow, when
Jehovah will keep the promise he made of no pain, no death, no
sorrow. (Revelation21:4)
I hope all your wonderful memories that were shared help sustain
you in the days to come. Warm Christian Love*

Robin R - February 05, 2013 at 06:26 AM

PA

Thank you for those kind words.

Pat Altizer - August 30, 2020 at 08:56 PM

RJ

“ *Raymond & Karen Jackson lit a candle in
memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Raymond & Karen Jackson - February 04, 2013 at 04:20 PM

DS

“ I first met Margaret in 1976 and through the years her smiled never faded nor did the kindness that she always took time to show to anyone she met. My thoughts and prayers are with her family for I know that she will be missed by all that every knew her, especially her family.

Debbie Stilwell - February 04, 2013 at 10:48 AM

DS

“ Debbie Stilwell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Debbie Stilwell - February 04, 2013 at 10:46 AM

MD

“ margaret was a true angel on earth. I always called her my second mom. I will always love her and my prayers are with all that knew her

margaret reedy damron - February 04, 2013 at 10:34 AM

MD

“ Margaret Reedy Damron lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



margaret reedy damron - February 04, 2013 at 10:32 AM

RP

“ *Ronnie & Peggy Pinkerton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Ronnie & Peggy Pinkerton - February 04, 2013 at 09:29 AM

JR

“ *Jack Ringstaff lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Jack Ringstaff - February 04, 2013 at 09:06 AM

SC

“ *Slick And Bonnie Cook lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Slick and Bonnie Cook - February 04, 2013 at 09:01 AM

BF

“ *Betty Brown And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Betty Brown and Family - February 04, 2013 at 08:05 AM

RS

“ Randy And Karen Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Randy and Karen Smith - February 04, 2013 at 07:56 AM

HH

“ Harold And Joan Helton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Harold and Joan Helton - February 03, 2013 at 10:57 PM

PR

“ Mrs Altizer was a true lady. She was one of the happiest and sweetest people ever,I know she will be missed by so many. My heart breaks for all of the family.

Pat & Bill Reedy

Patty Reedy - February 03, 2013 at 10:37 PM

PR

“ Patty Reedy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Patty Reedy - February 03, 2013 at 10:33 PM

EC

“ Margaret was a wonderful Lady. We are very sorry for your loss. She will be missed by all who knew her.



Earl and Christine Cole - February 03, 2013 at 08:53 PM

RS

“ The Altizer family have been blessed to have such a wonderful mother and grandmother. She has been one of greatest ladies I have had the opportunity to meet.

Ruby Webb Sparks - February 03, 2013 at 08:28 PM

BJ

“ Beth Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Beth Johnson - February 03, 2013 at 07:08 PM

PQ

“ Pat (susie) Kelli And Russ Quick lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Pat (susie) Kelli and Russ Quick - February 03, 2013 at 06:08 PM

PQ

“ MARGARET was an exceptional woman, a blessing in many ways to our family. She will always be so special in our hearts thinking of how she helped our mother raising 8 children. We love her much and she will be missed! Suzie cole quick

Pat (susie) Kelli and Russ Quick - February 03, 2013 at 06:05 PM

MB

“ Michael Barnett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Michael Barnett - February 03, 2013 at 05:33 PM

MB

I would like to say that I am truly sorry for the loss. I just don't know how much more this family can take. She was such a tough fighter. Granny Marg was one of the sweetest & caring women to I have ever known. She will be truly missed not just by family but by so many others. She was always so sweet to me & I loved just like she was my mamaw as well. She is in such a better place with Ralph, Lloyd, Wade & Anita waiting on us now. May God Bless The Altizer Family during this time of need.

Michael Barnett - February 03, 2013 at 05:43 PM

JK

“ James Keene lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



James Keene - February 03, 2013 at 05:33 PM

JK

So Sorry for your loss. James and Maggie Keene

James Keene - February 03, 2013 at 05:34 PM

TW

“ *Teresa Whitt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Teresa Whitt - February 03, 2013 at 05:00 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer.*



February 03, 2013 at 04:42 PM

BH

“ *Bruce And Denise Hall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Bruce and Denise Hall - February 03, 2013 at 04:26 PM

AF

“ *Amanda Hall Kitts And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Amanda Hall Kitts and Family - February 03, 2013 at 04:26 PM

PL

“ *Peggy Ann Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



peggy ann lowe - February 03, 2013 at 03:16 PM

MR

“ *Margaret Martin Rowlett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Margaret Martin Rowlett - February 03, 2013 at 03:12 PM

PL

“ *i worked with margret at reynolds resturant many years ago i saw her every sunday morning at doran where she worked. she will be greatly m issed love you peggy .Lowe*



peggy ann lowe - February 03, 2013 at 03:12 PM

NW

“ SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS I FIRST MET THIS SWEET LADY
WHEN SHE WORKED AT DESKINS SHE ALLWAYS HAD A
SMILE FOR YOU NANCY WHITED WYATT

nancy whited wyatt - February 03, 2013 at 02:56 PM

KH

“ Ken & Effie Hicks lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



ken & effie hicks - February 03, 2013 at 01:20 PM

PW

“ Patricia Hale Webb lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Patricia Hale Webb - February 03, 2013 at 12:10 PM

PW

*Diane,
I am so sorry for the loss of your dear mother, you are in my thoughts &
prayers at this sad time.*

Patricia Hale Webb - February 03, 2013 at 12:12 PM

PC

“ *Dianna, So sorry about the loss of your precious mother. You are in my thoughts and prayers as you begin this journey of grief.*

Patricia Christian



Patricia Holmes Christian - February 03, 2013 at 11:31 AM

TG

“ *Tammy Goodman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Tammy Goodman - February 03, 2013 at 11:03 AM

SL

“ *Sharon Powers Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Sharon Powers Lowe - February 03, 2013 at 10:24 AM

SL

*Dianne and Mitch,
So very sorry for your loss. Heaven has received such a beautiful angel. She was always such a joy to be near and love shone around her. May the Lord place His loving arms around you and carry you through this very difficult time.*

Sharon Powers Lowe - February 03, 2013 at 10:26 AM

PP

“ *Patty Pruett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Patty Pruett - February 03, 2013 at 10:12 AM

T"

“ *Tammy Christian "Giovannis" lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Tammy Christian "Giovannis" - February 03, 2013 at 10:05 AM

CB

“ *Carolyn Jewell Baldwin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Carolyn Jewell Baldwin - February 03, 2013 at 10:04 AM

BL

“ *Truly Margaret was someone we have known our whole lives, and how enriched our lives have been by knowing her. She was always with a beautiful smile and welcoming hug. She will be missed. Our hope is peace and comfort to the family. The Lawsons, Arthur, Sue , Bradley, Alison and Gracen*

Brad Lawson - February 03, 2013 at 09:52 AM

BL

“ *Brenda Stuart Lawson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Brenda Stuart Lawson - February 03, 2013 at 08:49 AM

LS

“ *Linda Shreve lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Linda Shreve - February 03, 2013 at 08:23 AM

KB

“ *Kathy Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Kathy Blankenship - February 03, 2013 at 07:59 AM

PF

“ *Patricia Combs Freeman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Patricia Combs Freeman - February 03, 2013 at 07:57 AM



“ *Danny Farris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Danny Farris - February 03, 2013 at 07:22 AM



“ *Larry Kyle Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Larry Kyle Nelson - February 03, 2013 at 07:19 AM



“ *Nancy (Johnson) Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



nancy (johnson) nelson - February 03, 2013 at 06:09 AM



“ *Patricia Melton Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Patricia Melton Taylor - February 03, 2013 at 05:47 AM

DC

“ *Darlene Stephanie and Mike Coleman*



Darlene Coleman - February 03, 2013 at 03:22 AM

JV

“ *Dear Family, was so saddened to hear about Margaret's passing, she truly was an angel among us! I never saw her without a smile, though I know your hearts are broken you have to know that heaven is much sweeter now! Praying for comfort and peace for each one of you. Love and Prayers, Judy & Harry VanDyke*

Judy P. VanDyke - February 02, 2013 at 09:42 PM

AN

“ *Anthony & Amy Nease lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Anthony & Amy Nease - February 02, 2013 at 09:16 PM

JH

“ To all of Margaret's Family,

I am so sorry to learn of your precious Margaret's death. She was such a sweet and kind person and she certainly passed that trait on to her kids. I was amazed at her working as long as she did. She has set an example that will be hard to follow! I know you are going to miss her as will as all those she came in contact with every day at work. May you all feel God's loving arms around you and know His comfort during this time of sorrow and in the days to come. I will have you in my thoughts and prayers!

*Love,
Jane Ellen Horton*

Jane Horton - February 02, 2013 at 08:02 PM

SA

“ *Susie Shaw Addison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



susie shaw addison - February 02, 2013 at 07:19 PM

SG

“ *Santana VanDyke, Joseph Pruitt's Grandda lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Santana VanDyke, Joseph Pruitt's grandda - February 02, 2013 at 07:07 PM

JF

“ Margaret was one of a kind! She always had a smile to give no matter how down she was. Her & Ralph & all the kids were & are very dear to our hearts. She will be sadly missed. All you kids were very fortunate, always remember we love all of you!
Joseph Pruitt, Judy, Diana, Sue & Sharon

Joseph Pruitt & Family - February 02, 2013 at 07:05 PM

JF

“ Joseph Pruitt & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Joseph Pruitt & Family - February 02, 2013 at 06:59 PM

CL

“ Cathy Lester lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Cathy Lester - February 02, 2013 at 06:47 PM

PL

“ My deepest Sympathy to all who loved Margaret . She was a lovely lady always a smile & hug for you . Margaret was truly a role model to many. I do not remember not knowing her.I know you will miss her very much . You have precious memories that will last a life time.May GOD comfort each of you as he welcomes her home . She will be missed by all who knew her & her kindness . Hugs to all the family & friends .
Love to all , Pat Grove Rickey Lyons

Patricia Grove Rickey Lyons - February 02, 2013 at 06:40 PM



“ Becky Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Becky Patterson - February 02, 2013 at 05:54 PM

LP

“ Linda Patton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Linda Patton - February 02, 2013 at 05:54 PM

HG

“ *Hilda(Jewell) Griffith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Hilda(Jewell) Griffith - February 02, 2013 at 05:53 PM

SW

“ *Shelia Addington Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Shelia Addington Wright - February 02, 2013 at 05:27 PM

NR

“ *Norma Jewell Richardson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Norma Jewell Richardson - February 02, 2013 at 05:21 PM

BM

“ *Betty Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



betty marshall - February 02, 2013 at 05:21 PM

CR

“ Carol And David Reedy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Carol and David Reedy - February 02, 2013 at 05:09 PM

TG

“ Tim And Denise Green lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Tim and Denise Green - February 02, 2013 at 05:01 PM

TG

great woman,always gave me a hug and i could talk to her when i first moved to richlands. i'll miss you.....

Tim Dede Greene - February 02, 2013 at 06:38 PM

MA

“ Marie Altizer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Marie Altizer - February 02, 2013 at 04:52 PM

PR

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. Margaret was a wonderful lady and will be missed by all.

Patty Richardson - February 02, 2013 at 04:47 PM

DL

“ Donald & Sharon Lane lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Donald & Sharon Lane - February 02, 2013 at 04:42 PM

LN

“ Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Leroy Nelson - February 02, 2013 at 04:35 PM

BM

“ Bruce & Linda Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer



Bruce & Linda Mitchell - February 02, 2013 at 04:35 PM

BM

Mrs Altizer was a wonderful lady and will be greatly missed by all who knew her. A great Godly woman. Heaven is sweeter now and one more angel has made it home. Our prayers and thoughts are with all of the family during this sad time.

Bruce & Linda Mitchell - February 02, 2013 at 04:37 PM

BP

“ *Bill & Karen Patton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Bill & Karen Patton - February 02, 2013 at 04:23 PM

BA

“ *Betty & Robert Altizer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Betty & Robert Altizer - February 02, 2013 at 03:52 PM

EA

“ *Ed&Hazel Altizer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Ed&Hazel Altizer - February 02, 2013 at 03:50 PM



“ *Becky Vandyke lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



becky vandyke - February 02, 2013 at 03:50 PM



*I AM SO SORRY . I WILL BE PRAYING FOR YOUR FAMILY.
SHE WAS A VERY SWEET LADY.*

becky vandyke - February 02, 2013 at 03:56 PM

PS

“ *Peggy Sparks lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Margaret F. Altizer*



peggy sparks - February 02, 2013 at 03:23 PM

AW

“ *Aliese Brown Wallace lit a candle in memory
of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Aliese Brown Wallace - February 02, 2013 at 03:22 PM

PB

“ *Paula Sheets Bowlin lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



Paula Sheets Bowlin - February 02, 2013 at 03:21 PM

MD

“ *Marie Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret F. Altizer*



marie davis - February 02, 2013 at 02:55 PM